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SUBJECT: CAMPORA CALLS FOR UNITY ON PROGRAM OF NATION
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A. IN PRESS CONFERENCE MAY 8, PRESIDENT- ELECT CAMPORA CALLED
ON " POLITICAL AND CIVIL FORCES" TO JOIN IN FIVE- POINT PROGRAM OF
" NATIONAL RECONSTRUCTION." POINTS ARE:

1. AFFIRMATION OF OBJECTIVES OF LIBERATION AND RECONSTRUCTION AS
BASIS FOR PARTICIPATION IN LATIN AMERICAN INTEGRATION TO ACHIEVE
ECONOMIC INDEPENDENCE, SOCIAL JUSTICE AND AUTHENTIC NATIONAL
CULTURE, WHICH IMPLIES EFFECTING REVOLUTION COUNTRY DEMANDS.

2. EFFECTIVENESS OF AGREEMENTS OF HORA DEL PUEBLO, FRENTE CIVICO
DE LIBERACION NACIONAL, AND ASAMBLEA DE LA UNIDAD NACIONAL.

3. POLITICAL AND SOCIAL TRUCE, SCOPE OF WHICH TO BE AGREED
WITH REPRESENTATIVES OF WORKERS AND NATIONAL BUSINESS (READ,
CGT AND CGE).

4. RESPECT NATIONAL CONSTITUTION, INSURING RIGHTS OF MAJORITY
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AND RESPECT FOR MINORITIES, TO END THAT INSTITUTIONS OPERATE SO THAT JURIDICAL ORDER NEVER AGAIN SUBJECT TO ACTS OF FORCE.

5. ARMED FORCES MUST CONTRIBUTE TO PROCESS OF NATIONAL RECONSTRUCTION WITHIN CONSTITUTIONAL NORMS AND IN AMERICANIST AND LIBERATING TRADITION OF ARMIES OF GENERAL SAN MARTIN.

B. PRESENT AT PRESS CONFERENCE WERE REPRESENTATIVES OF JUSTICIALISTA LEADERSHIP, CGT, THE 62 ORGANIZATIONS, CGE, PERONIST YOUTH (GALIMBERTI REPORTEDLY INVITED, BUT DID NOT ATTEND), AND THE VARIOUS POLITICAL GROUPINGS WHICH PARTICIPATE IN FREJULI. NON- FREJULI POLITICIANS NOT REPRESENTED PER SE, THOUGH ILDEFONSO RECALDE, WHO WITH JOSE GELBARD AND JULIO BRONER REPRESENTED CGE, IS A RADICAL.

C. ALTHOUGH PRESS CONFERENCE HAD BEEN CALLED TO DISCUSS ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROGRAM OF NEW GOVERNMENT, FIVE POINTS OBVIOUSLY MORE POLITICAL IN INTENT, DESIGNED TO SEEK WIDE BASE OF SUPPORT FOR CAMPORA GOVERNMENT ON BROAD OBJECTIVES. FIVE POINTS CONTAIN NO SURPRISES, AND BRING US NO CLOSER TO PREDICTION OF ECONOMIC POLICIES CAMPORA GOVERNMENT WILL FOLLOW, EXCEPT THAT IT AGAIN CONFIRMS REPORTS CGT AND CGE WILL PLAY MAJOR ROLE IN DETERMINING THAT POLICY, AND THAT THEIR POINT OF DEPARTURE WILL BE SEPTEMBER 7 JOINT CGT- CGE DECLARATION (EMBASSY' S A 501, OCT 2, 1972). ALL IN ALL , FIVE POINTS APPEAR TO BE ANOTHER ATTEMPT BY PRESIDENT-ELECT TO ENCOURAGE MODERATES, FACILITATE POLITICAL CONCILIATION AND SOOTHE ARMED FORCES. UCR REPORTEDLY CONSIDERING ACCEPTING POSTS IN CAMPORA GOVERNMENT, AND FIVE- POINT DECLARATION MIGHT ALSO BE AIMED AT INFLUENCING THEIR DECISION TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS FASHION.

D. CRONISTA COMERCIAL REPORTED MAY 8 ISSUE THAT HECTOR HIDALGO SOLA WILL BE UNDERSECRETARY OF ECONOMY, ALFREDO CONCEPCION OF INDUSTRY, AND ANTONIO TROCCOLI OF FOREIGN COMMERCE, WHILE FACUNDO SUAREZ WILL BE PRESIDENT OF YPF. ALL ARE FROM UCR. WE BELIEVE THESE REPORTS TO BE FOUNDED ON LITTLE MORE THAN SPECULATION AND HEARSAY. THIS IS ESPECIALLY THE CASE WITH RESPECT TO RUMORS CONCERNING TROCCOLI AND FACUNDO SUAREZ.
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